POLK EXPECTED TO BE LANSING'S AIDE

President Generally Believed to Have Decided to Appoint Him Counselor.

While official confirmation is lackang both at the White House and the State Department, it is generally believed that President Wilson has finally determined to appoint as Counselor the State Department Frank L. Polk, corporation counsel of New York

When asked about Mr. Polk's pros-

pective appointment today, Secretary Lansing declined to comment upon it. Mr. Polk was in Washington last week, and conferred with Secretary Lansing. The name of Mr. Polk has figured prominently for weeks in official discus-sions of a successor to Mr. Lansing as Counselor of the State Department.
Former Congressman A. Mitchell Paimer of Pennsylvania, whose name also
had been prominently mentioned in this had been prominently mentioned in this connection, has been dropped. The reason for Mr. Palmer's elimination is not definitely known. However, his outspoken advocacy of an embargo on the shipment of arms and war munitions to the warring nations of Europe is believed to be partly responsible for it. Since the policy of the Administration from the outset has been opposed to an arms embargo, officials say that it would be unwise to appoint as counselor of the State Department at this would be unwise to appoint as counselor of the State Department at this time a man who openly advocates such a policy. Mr. Palmer is a Quaker, and is constitutionally opposed to war.

Mr. Polk was the first choice of President Wilson and Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo for appointment as collector of the port of New York, but Senator O'Gorman refused to consent to his appointment. The place finally went to Dudley Field Malone, son-in-law of the Senator.

Aside from his recognized legal ability, the social prominence of Mr. Polk would make his appointment an agreeable one in official circles. Mrs. Polk was Miss Elizabeth Sturgis Potter, daughter of Mrs. James Potter, of Philadelphia, who was a belle in the Quaker City

Third-Rail Liquor Is Found in Bronx

Federal Agent Uses His Nose In Following Up Clue In Whisky Hunt.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.-Following his nose and other clues, William H. Fowle, an agent of the Internal Revenue De-

an agent of the Internal Revenue Department, wandered into a flat on the fifth floor of a tenement house in the Bronx, and found a moonshine whisky still, capable, the Government-men say, of turning out large quantities of 'third-rail whisky.'

Fowle arrested Baruch Goldehagen, who last commanded the attention of the United States Government when he was arrested for making counterfeit money in a farmhouse near New Haven. Goldehagen, Fowle says, was bending over the still, sampling the liquor. Goldehagen, since he was released on ball last March on the charge of counterfeiting, has been living in the Bronx with his wife and brother. Clarence S. Houghton, United States commissioner, held Goldehagen in \$3,500 commissioner, held Goldehagen in \$3,500 ball on a charge of operating an illicit

Bryan Glad Army Camps Are Closed to Jingoes

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 28.—Ex-Secretary Bryan passed through Kansas City on his way to Chautauqua engagements in Missourf. Apparently none the worse for his experience at Kingman, Kan., on Wednesday, when a bewhiskered farmer kissed him. Mr. Bryan said:

kissed him. Mr. Bryan said:
"I am much gratified that something of sufficient importance has occurred to iustify mention. I have nothing further to say in regard to being kissed."

Speaking of the controversy growing out of ex-President Roosevelt's speech at Plattsburg, Mr. Bryan said:
"I am glad to notice that Secretary Garrison is disposed to restrict the army camps to the work for which they were established. During the last two weeks they seem to have served more as a platform for Jingoes to talk from than for instruction in the art of war."

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PROBABLE SUCCESSOR OF LANSING AS COUNSELOR



FRANK L. POLK,

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Four thousand more miners quit work

Miners' officials arrived here today

to renew their attempts to convince

President Walter Runciman of the gov-

tration award had fallen far short of

rnment board of trade that his arbi-

Before West Virginians

Oscar Price, auditor of the Interior

WELSHMEN REFUSE TO RETURN TO MINES. More Than 30,000, Out of the miners in South Wales are expected to quit work tonight.

200,000 Workers, Now Idle Oscar Price to Speak and More Threaten to Quit.

LONDON, Aug. 28.-The South Wales day. Dispatches from Cardiff, Newport and other coal centers said the striking miners had refused to heed the advice of their executive council to rethe government. More than 30,000 of the 200,000 miners represented in the South

Wales federation are idle. Word came from Newport today that probably every miner in the Monmouthshire district will quit work tonight unless today's conferences in London show a disposition on the part of the government to recognize the miners' claims

DID MISS WALSH MRS. PERSHING DIED **GUARDING CHILDREN** SAY "GO TO HADES?"

Effort to Save Girls From Flames.

Arrangements for the funeral of Mrs. ohn J. Pershing and her three children, who were burned to death in their quarters in the Presidio, San Francisco will not be completed until the arrival there of Brigadier General Pershing, according to advices reaching Washing

Details of the fatal fire reaching Washington today show that Mrs.

found the body of Mrs. Pershing to understand that she knew her rights, and was not to be browbeaten by a son stretched upon the floor. Beside her of a sea cook in a red shirt and blue lay one of the children. The mother's knickerbockers. arm was entwined about a second child in a futile effort to drag it from the bed, and the third child lay upon a second bed nearby.

Warren, the son, slept in another part of the house, the same from which Mrs. Walter O. Boswell, a relative, wife of Lieutenant Boswell, her maid, and two children escaped.

Mrs. Boswell was the first of those in the house to awaken, having been aroused by the smoke. She caught up her children, woke the maid, and, hav-ing called to Mrs. Pershing, started for the hallway. There she found her cscape cut off by the flames, which had already spread to the stairway. She again shouted the alarm, and with the members of her family crawled out upon

Philip and James, three and six years old, to the rescue party, and then she and her maid jumped. Mrs. Boswell landed in a flower bed and badly was summoned by wrenched her back.

wrenched her back.

The first intimation that the post had of the fire was when flames burst through the roof of the big two-story frame house. The Presidio army fire department rushed to the house and, believing that the occupants had been rescued or escaped, started to battle the flames. The course of the fire was found to have been from the dining room, into a large hall and up the stairway. In command at the presidio is Maj.

Georgia.
United States Senator Francis E. said.
Warren, father of Mrs. Pershing, is on his way to Presidio.

To Discuss Facilities For

Department, will be the principal speaker at the meeting of the West Virginia Society at Old Masonic Temple Sep-temper 10. At this meeting a vice president to fill the vacancy caused by the removal from the District of Dr. Camden, will be chosen, and a corresponding secretary will be elected.

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Last Action Was Heroic If Futile Ventnor, N. J., Beach Guard Has Philadelphia Girl Before the

Recorder's Court.

ATLANTIC CITY, Aug. 28.-Whether Miss Phyllis Walsh, athletic daughter of Mrs. Florence Huhn Walsh, of Philadelphia, and granddaughter of Samuel Huhn, the banker, not only flouted a Ventnor beach guard, but told him "to go to hades." is a burning issue in the lowntown beach cottage colony.

Nothing was said as to the precise Washington today show that Mrs.

Pershing made a heroic effort to rescue her children, but was overcome by the flames and smoke that filled the section of the house in which she and the children slept.

When a rescue party, headed by "Johnson," an aged servant of the Pershing's, broke into the house they younger set, gave Robinson, the guard, to understand that she knew her rights,

Collides With Bather.

Miss Walsh, who does about everything in the way of athletics that girls are accustomed to do, and does all of them well. Is spending the summer with her mother and her wealthy grandfather in one of the finest cottages in Chelsea. She possesses a canoe, one of those light canvas-covered affairs that turn-over in trip-hammer style, and can be operated only by a person who knows all about them. And thereby hangs a story.

Coming ashore on the crest of a wave,

Miss Phyllis lost her paddle. There-upon the canoe collided with a woman bather, striking her in the chest and cutting her shoulder. slready spread to the stairway. She again shouted the alarm, and with the members of her family crawled out upon a porch roof.

Meanwhile, Lieut, Eugene Santschel, Twenty-first infantry: Private C. J. Hazilit, and another soldier had been awakened by the roar of the flames. They ran to the house and arrived just in time to eatch the Boswells, who were endeavoring to make their way from the porch roof.

Mrs. Boswell threw her two children, Philip and James, three and six years port this allegation.

> Summoned Before Recorder. The upshot of it all was that Miss Walsh was summoned before Recorder Hand. She was there, with twenty or more of her friends, dressed in the height of fashion. The guards recited her offense, and Miss Walsh calmly admitted she had run into the woman bather and regretted the inclident exceedingly. The loss of her paddle, she said, had made the boat unmanageable. Judge Hand was in a dilemma and consulted the statutes. Miss Walsh and her friends talked briskly. After a time the court decided to take the matter under advisement, pending further in

In command at the presidio is Maj. Henry H. Whitney who immediately appointed a board of inquiry to investigate the fire. Close to the Pershing quarters is the business men's camp recently established.

The board of inquiry found that the two grate fires had been burning in the house last night. So far that is the only theory advanced about its cause.

Lieutenant Boswell, whose wife is suffering from the injury to her back, and from the shock, is on sick leave in Georgia. complaint.

At her handsome Ventner home Mrs.
Florence Huhn Walsh declined to comment upon the matter. The report that Miss Walsh was alleged to have told the guard to go to "hades" was news to her, and she laughed. "Judge Hand disposed of the matter, and we do not expect to hear any more about it," she said.

British Consul Recalled

Shipping facilities to carry trade to South and Central America will be discussed at a conference of the American group committee of the Pan-American conference here in September 1989. Pan-American conference here in Sep-tember, it is announced by Secretary of the German bomb makers arrested

> \$3.00 To Atlantic City and Return \$3.00 tomorrow, Baltimore and Ohio from Union Station, 7:15 a. m.—Advt.

F-4 Soon to Be Raised From Honolulu Harbor

The actual work of raising the sub marine F-4, which sank in Honolulu harbor several months ago, with all on poard, will begin within a short time, Acting Secretary of the Navy Roose velt announced today.

Rear Admiral Bush, at Honolulu, reported to the department that two ponoons have been secured above the F-1. and six chains have been slung around the submarine. Plans are practically complete for lifting the boat to the surface.

SUES FOR RECEIVER FOR JITNEY LINE

A suit for a receiver to collect debt owed the Arlington-Barcroft Auto Company, which conducted the yellow jitney line recently tied up by replevin proceedings instituted by the Chicago company which ;ild the fitneys to the Virginla corporation, has been filed in the District Supreme Court by Mrs. Ger-

trude Mitchell, a stockholder.
Mrs. Mitchell sets forth fin her petition that she was induced by a lawyer Baltic At Liverpool.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—The White Star liner Baltic has arrived at Liverpool, according to cable dispatches to the White Star offices here.

Liverpool to invest a part of life insurance moneys left by her husband in the stock of the fitney corporation. She alleges that the corporation has filed no statement setting forth the conditions under which the stock was issued and that certain persons have been permitted to draw large salaries, although the fitneys were operated at a loss.

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British Consul Recalled

For Apathy to Germans

NEW ORLEANS, La. Aug. 28—
Henry Thomas Carey Hunt, British consul general here, has been recalled, and F. E. Erskite of Portland, Ore, formerly of St. Louis, will succeed him, it was learned today. Hunt was criticized recently by the British colony for what was termed his apathy toward the case of the German bomb makers arrested here.

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